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REMOTE CONTROLLED DEVICES)
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SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION FOR REISSUE PATENT APPLICATION

I hereby declare that I believe the original patent to be wholly or partly inoperative or invalid by reason of a defective specification or drawing, and by reason of the patentee claiming more or less than the patentee had the right to claim in the patent.

The error(s) relied upon are as follows:

Applicant failed to appreciate the full scope of the invention (Please see *In re Wilder*, 736 F.2d 1516, 222 USPQ 369 (Fed. Cir. 1984)).

Also, Applicant relies on the fact that the disclosure includes inaccuracies in how the "moving means" element recited in Claim 8 (Col. 9, Lines 54-56) cooperates with the movable panel element recited in Claim 8 (Col. 9, Lines 52-53) to move the movable panel. Specifically, and referring to Column 7, Lines 31-58 of the Patent, reference character 106 (which is actually a cable crimp) is incorrectly referred to as a "hole" (Col. 7, line 40) in the specification. Compression spring 111 is incorrectly shown as locking pin 105 in Fig. 5. Further, in Fig. 5, reference number 106 incorrectly points to cable 101, and reference number 107 in Fig. 5 points to the cable crimp. Applicant asserts that these errors and


other similar inaccuracies in Col 7, Lines 31-58 must be corrected via Reissue, because the entire section and Figs. 5 and 6 must be amended in order to ensure that similarly referenced characters refer to similarly referenced parts. Otherwise, independent Claim 8 in U.S. Patent Serial No. 5,872,516, and dependent Claims 9-11 might fail under scrutiny for not being enabling or for being indefinite under 35 U.S.C. §112.

I hereby declare that every error in the patent which was corrected in the present reissue application, and which is not covered by the prior oath(s) and/or declaration(s) submitted in this application, arose without any deceptive intention on the part of the applicant.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. 1001 and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Dated: July 2, 2003.

Respectfully submitted,



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